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E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: MASS EG US  
SUBJ: EGYPTIAN INTEREST IN INCREASED IMET/TRAINING LEVELS

REF: STATE 134091

1. SUBJECT OF EGYPTIAN INTEREST IN INCREASED IMET/TRAINING AROSE DURING DISCUSSION WITH GENERAL GAMASY JUNE 3 ABOUT HIS FORTHCOMING VISIT TO U.S. CHARGE AND DATT NOTED THAT CONGRESSIONAL ACTION HAD NOT BEEN COMPLETED FOR FY-79 FUNDS FOR IMET PROGRAMS ON WORLDWIDE BASIS, AND CAUTIONED THAT WE COULD NOT AS YET MAKE ANY FIRM COMMITMENTS OR PLANS FOR IMET PROGRAM FOR EGYPT. GAMASY INTERJECTED THAT BASED ON EARLIER DISCUSSIONS, HE ASSUMED HE COULD COUNT ON A \$400,000 PROGRAM FOR FY-79. CHARGE RESPONDED THAT, TO CONTRARY, POINT WE WERE MAKING WAS THAT WE COULD MAKE NO COMMITMENT THAT \$400,000 LEVEL WOULD BE AVAILABLE, ALTHOUGH THIS CONTINUES TO BE OUR GOAL. GENERAL GAMASY EMPHASIZED THAT EGYPT BELIEVED TRAINING IN U.S. WAS BENEFICIAL AND USEFUL, AND SAID HE WOULD BE MAKING THIS POINT DURING HIS VISIT TO WASHINGTON.

2. COMMENT: ALTHOUGH MINWAR UNDERSTOOD THAT WE WERE CAUTIONING HIM THAT THERE WAS NO ASSURANCE THAT EGYPTIAN  
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DESIRES FOR FY-79 OR FUTURE YEARS' FUNDING LEVELS COULD BE MET, HE CLEARLY HOPES AND EXPECTS THAT EGYPT WILL HAVE \$400,000 PROGRAM FOR FY-79 AND THAT THIS LEVEL WILL INCREASE IN FUTURE. MATTHEWS

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